

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, 28th MAY, 1874. 四拜禮 號八十二月五英 港香 [PRICE \$24 PER MONTH]

PRICE \$2½ PER MONTH

TO LET.

GILMAN & Co.
at Hongkong, 28th May, 1874.
HONGKONG STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
FOR SHANGHAI.
Cargo and Passengers at through rates for
KANKOW, NINGPO, and PORTS in
JAPAN
Company's Steamship
"DETROIT"
despatched on or about the 3rd June.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTSFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents,
Hongkong, 27th May, 1874.
NOTICE.
HONGKONG ICE COMPANY.
Undersigned do to intimate that in

inery, they have been p
ICE as expected: and

before this defect can be put right,
 notice will be given in future advertise-
 ments.
 KYLE & BAIN,
 Proprietors.
 717 Hongkong, 28th May, 1874.
 PING MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE.

STEAMER of this Company will be dispatched from SAN FRANCISCO for OHAMA every alternate SATURDAY. Last departure under this new arrangement taken place on the 18th April. After arriving at Yokohama they will have despatch for Hongkong, leaving the latter for San Francisco, via Yokohama, every WEDNESDAY after the 13th instant.

NA,"

FROM HONGKONG.

HINA"..... June 10.
OLIMA"..... 24.
sufficient inducement be offered during
Season, the Company is prepared to
at any time, dispatch extra Steamers
San Francisco for Ports of China and
further information, apply at the Agency
Company, Praya West.
G. B. EMORY,
Acting Agent

RUPP'S CAST. STE

ESSEN (GERMANY).
SOLE AGENT FOR CHINA AND
JAPAN,
F. PEIL,
Hongkong, Shanghai, Cologne (Germany).

Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE.
CONSIGNEES, per *Deerhound*, of the under-

Delivery is taken before
their Goods will be landed

risk and expense by the Underargued.

in diamond, S } 8 Cases Cartridges, shipped
by Reinhardt & Co.

in diamond, 1 } 1 Case Cartridges, shipped
by Knowles & Foster.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
5 Hongkong, 28th May, 1874.

TJSH BARQUE DEERHOUND, FROM
LONDON.

to hereby requested to send
to the Undersigned for

and to take immediate delivery of their
 cargo, impeding the discharge will be at once
 and stored at Consignees' risk and ex-
 ce.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
 831 Hongkong, 27th May, 1874.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO;
EX O. S. S. CO.'S S. S. SARPEDON,

PING Orders must be
Undersigned not later

and 832 Hongkong, 27th May, 1874.

NOTICE.

THE Cargo, ex *Sirius*, from Calcutta, has been landed and stored at Consignees' into Messrs. J. S. Hook, Son & Co.'s down, Praya, wheats delivery can be obtained by 21st instant will be sub-

Hongkong 27th May.

BRITISH STEAMER JAPAN, FROM LONDON AND PORTS OF CALL.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Steamer are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into Godowns of the Undersigned at Wanchi, whence recovery can be obtained.

Shanghai, 12th November 1890.

onal Cargo will be forwarded
less notice to the contractor.

NOTICE TO-DAY.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
DAY & SON, MANAGERS & SOLE AGENTS,
at 807 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1874.
S. S. S. GLENLYN, FROM LONDON,
(SINGAPORE, &c.)

CONSIGNEES OF Cargo, by the above
Steamer are hereby informed that their
Goods are being loaded and stored at their risk
the Godowns of the Undersigned, from whom
freight charges may be obtained.
Consignees wishing to take their Goods from
boats alongside the wharf, are at liberty to
do so.

Goods remaining in store after the 25th
of June will be subject to rent.
Optional Cargo will be sent on, unless notice
be given before 4 o'clock P.M.
Bills of Lading to be sent for countersigning
to
**GILMAN & Co.,
Agents.**

at 806 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1874.

**COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.**

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

SIGNATURES of the following persons requested to send in the

the undersigned for countersignature, and
the immediate delivery; this Cargo has been
loaded and stored at their risk and expense.
No fire insurance has been effected.

C. BERTRAND,
Principal Agent.

Ex. "Amavans."

33J. No. 3.	1 case Merchandise;
PM	30 cases Wine.
JH in diamond,	1 cask Whisky,
0, 2.	2 casks Oil.

Hongkong, 14th May, 1874.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

A mail ship will leave.

The Mails for Amoy, Takao, and Tamsui, Hailong, will close at 5 p.m. to-day, the 2nd inst., instead of, as, the time previously notified.

MAILS BY THE "FRENCH PACKET."

The French Mail Packet, "*JANAZONE*," will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 30th inst. at noon, with the Mails—

To and through the United Kingdom, Mozambique, to France, and other Continental States (in a closed mail to France), to Bombay, Singapore, Galle, Calcutta, Madras, Bonaire, Aden, Seychelles, Reunion and Mauritius; and also Alexandria.

The Post Office will be open for the receipt of Ordinary Letters, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 11 A.M. on the 30th instant, after which no Letters can be received.

Money Orders of any of the Money Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 29th instant.

Letters for Registration will be received until 10 A.M. on the 30th instant.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 18th May, 1874.

MAILS BY THE "ENGLISH PACKET."

The English Contract Packet, "*NIZA*," will be despatched with the usual Mails to Europe, &c., on SATURDAY, the 30th inst. at noon.

Money Orders of any of the Money Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 30th June.

The Post Office will be open until 6 P.M. on the 30th June.

Letters, &c., may be posted during the night in the box left open for their reception.

Letters for registration will be received until 10 A.M. on the 30th June.

Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on the 30th June, without late fee.

Letters posted after 10 A.M. on the 30th June, will not be forwarded unless the postage is prepaid.

The latest time for posting Letters at the Office is 11 A.M., and for Newspapers, Book Post, &c., at 10 A.M. on the 30th June.

Late Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Brindisi, or to the Continent, may be posted on board the steamer, after 11.30 A.M. to take effect on sailing, on the 30th June, if enclosed in such manner as to be posted.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 24th May, 1874.

It is hereby notified for general information, that henceforward the Postage on Letters addressed to Russia, when marked to be forwarded via Southampton, will be reduced to four pence half-ounce.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster-General.

General Post Office.
Hongkong, 18th September, 1872.

The Post Office of Victoria (Australia) has given notice to the General Post Office in Hongkong that articles of Jewellery received from the Colony are chargeable with Customs Duty. In this Regulation considers it necessary to give notice that any letters or packets containing such articles sent through the Post are liable with their contents, to be forfeited.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 2nd January, 1873.

It is hereby notified for general information, that the Postage on Letters addressed to way when forwarded, via Southampton, henceforward be 36 cents for each half-ounce, which may either be paid in advance, or by letter to the Post Office, addressed to the Letter Carrier, who will be subject to an additional charge on delivery.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office.
Hongkong, 23rd August, 1870.

It is hereby notified that henceforward postage on letters addressed to Newfoundland, which must be paid in advance, will be as follows:

When forwarded via 34 cents each half-ounce.
Brindisi.....
When forwarded via 34 " "
Brisbane.....
When forwarded via 28 " "
Southampton.....

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873.

It is hereby notified for general information, that on and after the 1st August, next, the Commutation charges for the Money Office upon the United Kingdom at Canton, Shanghai, and Yokohama, will be as follows:

On sums not exceeding 25 18 pence
Above 25 and not exceeding 25 18 pence
Above 25 and not exceeding 27 54 pence
Above 27 and not exceeding 210 72 pence

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 15th July, 1870.

It is hereby notified for general information, that the Postage (which must be paid in advance) on letters addressed to the Letter Carrier, when forwarded be as follows:

When forwarded via 42 cents each half-ounce.
Brindisi.....
Marseilles..... 36 cents each half-ounce.
When forwarded via 28 cents each half-ounce.
Southampton.....

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 28th July, 1870.

Arrangements having been made with the Agents and London Shipping at Sea China by Private Ships will be forwarded destination via Brindisi, it is hereby notified that the rates of postage, which must be paid in advance, on correspondence forwarded, will be as follows, viz:

For Letters..... 24 cents per half-ounce.
For Newspapers..... 8 " "
For Books and Patterns..... 1 ounce each.
Patterns..... every additional 1/2 " "

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 20th December, 1871.

It is hereby notified that Letters adduced to France may be sent (if paid or under the option of the sender); but the postage Prices Current, Newspapers and Books will be prepaid.

For each half-ounce..... 12 pence
The rate of postage chargeable on Letters addressed to France per French Packet is..... 12 pence
Per British Packet when marked via Alexandria and Marseilles..... 12 pence
Per British Packet when marked via Alexandria and Marseilles..... 12 pence

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 2nd April, 1872.

It is hereby notified that henceforward rates of postage which must be paid in advance, on Packages of printed paper patterns of light weight sent from Hongkong to the United Kingdom by the United States Packets via San Francisco, will be as follows, viz:

For a packet not exceeding 1 ounce in weight..... 2 pence
For a packet above 1 ounce not exceeding 2 ounces..... 4 pence
For a packet above 2 ounces not exceeding 4 ounces..... 8 pence
And eight cents for every additional four ounces. These rates apply to Printed Circulars, Lists, Market Reports, and all printed matter, except Newspapers, as well as to Trade Patterns and Samples.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 12th April, 1870.

